pole, 60-ampere fuseholder with 40- or 50-ampere main fuses for 40- or 50-ampere supply cords, respectively. The outside of the distribution panelboard shall be plainly marked with the fuse size.

- (f) The distribution panelboard shall not be located in a bathroom, or in any other inaccessible location, but shall be permitted just inside a closet entry if the location is such that a clear space of 6 inches to easily ignitable materials is maintained in front of the distribution panelboard, and the distribution panelboard door can be extended to its full open position (at least 90 degrees). A clear working space at least 30 inches wide and 30 inches in front of the distribution panelboard shall be provided. This space shall extend from floor to the top of the distribution panelboard.
- (g) Branch-circuit distribution equipment shall be installed in each manufactured home and shall include overcurrent protection for each branch circuit consisting of either circuit breakers or fuses.
- (1) The branch circuit overcurrent devices shall be rated:
- (i) Not more than the circuit conductors; and
- (ii) Not more than 150 percent of the rating of a single appliance rated 13.3 amperes or more which is supplied by an individual branch circuit; but
- (iii) Not more than the fuse size marked on the air conditioner or other motor-operated appliance.
- (h) A 15-ampere multiple receptacle shall be acceptable when connected to a 20-ampere laundry circuit.
- (i) When circuit breakers are provided for branch-circuit protection 240 circuits shall be protected by 2-pole common or companion trip, or handle-tied paired circuit breakers.
- (j) A 3 inch by 1–3/4 inch minimum size tag made of etched, metal-stamped or embossed brass, stainless steel, anodized or alclad aluminum not less than 0.020 inch thick, or other approval material (e.g., 0.005 inch plastic laminates) shall be permanently affixed on the outside adjacent to the feeder assembly entrance and shall read: This connection for 120/240 Volt, 3–Pole, 4–Wire, 60 Hertz, \_\_\_\_\_\_ Ampere Supply.

The correct ampere rating shall be marked on the blank space.

- (k) When a home is provided with installed service equipment, a single disconnecting means for disconnecting the branch circuit conductors from the service entrance conductors must be provided in accordance with Article 230, Part VI of the National Electrical Code, NFPA No. 70-2005. The disconnecting means shall be listed for use as service equipment. The disconnecting means may be combined with the disconnect required by §3280.804(c). The disconnecting means shall be rated not more than the ampere supply or service capacity indicated on the tag required by paragraph (1) of this section.
- (1) When a home is provided with installed service equipment, the electrical nameplate required by \$3280.804(j) shall read: "This connection for 120/240 volt, 3 pole, 3 wire, 60 Hertz,

  Ampere Supply." The correct ampere rating shall be marked in the blank space.

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## § 3280.805 Branch circuits required.

- (a) The number of branch circuits required shall be determined in accordance with the following:
- (1) Lighting, based on 3 volt-amperes per square foot times outside dimensions of the manufactured home (coupler excluded) divided by 120 volts times amperes to determine number of 15 or 20 ampere lighting area circuits. e.g.  $[3 \times \text{length} \times \text{width} [120 \times (15 \text{ or } 20)] = \text{number of } 15 \text{ or } 20 \text{ ampere circuits.}$
- (2) Small appliances. For the small appliance load in kitchen, pantry dining room and breakfast rooms of manufactured homes, two or more 20-ampere appliance branch circuits, in addition to the branch circuit specified in §3280.805(a)(1), shall be provided for all receptacle outlets in these rooms, and such circuits shall have no other outlets. Receptacle outlets supplied by at least two appliance receptacle branch circuits shall be installed in the kitchen.

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- (3) General appliances (Including furnace, water heater, range, and central or room air conditioner, etc.). There shall be one or more circuits of adequate rating in accordance with the following:
- (i) Ampere rating of fixed appliances not over 50 percent of circuit rating if lighting outlets (receptacles, other than kitchen, dining area, and laundry, considered as lighting outlets) are on same circuit;
- (ii) For fixed appliances on a circuit without lighting outlets, the sum of rated amperes shall not exceed the branch-circuit rating. Motor loads or other continuous duty loads shall not exceed 80 percent of the branch circuit rating.
- (iii) The rating of a single cord and plug connected appliances on a circuit having no other outlets, shall not exceed 80 percent of the circuit rating.
- (iv) The rating of the range branch circuit is based on the range demand as specified for ranges in §3280.811(a)(5). For central air conditioning, see Article 440 of the National Electrical Code, NFPA No. 70–2005.
- (v) Where a laundry area is provided, a 20 ampere branch circuit shall be provided to supply laundry receptacle outlets. This circuit shall have no other outlets. See §3280.806(a)(7).
  - (b) [Reserved]

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## $\S 3280.806$ Receptacle outlets.

- (a) All receptacle outlets shall be:
- (1) Of grounding type;
- (2) Installed according to Article 406.3 of the National Electrical Code, NFPA No. 70–2005.
- (3) Except when supplying specific appliances, be parallel-blade, 15-ampere, 125-volt, either single or duplex.
- (b) All 120 volt single phase, 15 and 20 ampere receptacle outlets, including receptacles in light fixtures, installed outdoors, in compartments accessible from the outdoors, in bathrooms, and within 6 feet of a kitchen sink to serve counter top surfaces shall have groundfault circuit protection for personnel. Feeders supplying branch circuits may be protected by a ground-fault circuit-interrupter in lieu of the provision for such interrupters specified above. Re-

- ceptacles dedicated for washer and dryers, also located in a bathroom, are exempt from this requirement.
- (c) There shall be an outlet of the grounding type for each cord-connected fixed appliance installed.
- (d) Receptacle outlets required. Except in the bath and hall areas, receptacle outlets shall be installed at wall spaces 2 feet wide or more, so that no point along the floor line is more than 6 feet, measured horizontally, from an outlet in that space. In addition, a receptacle outlet shall be installed:
- (1) Over or adjacent to counter tops in the kitchen (at least one on each side of the sink if counter tops are on each side and 12 inches or over in width).
- (2) Adjacent to the refrigerator and free-standing gas-range space. A duplex receptacle may serve as the outlet for a countertop and a refrigerator.
- (3) At counter top spaces for built-in vanities.
- (4) At counter top spaces under wall-mounted cabinets.
- (5) In the wall, at the nearest point where a bar type counter attaches to the wall.
- (6) In the wall at the nearest point where a fixed room divider attaches to the wall.
- (7) In laundry areas within 6 feet of the intended location of the appliance(s).
- (8) At least one receptacle outlet shall be installed outdoors.
- (9) At least one wall receptacle outlet shall be installed in bathrooms within 36 inches (914 mm) of the outside edge of each basin. The receptacle outlet must be located on a wall that is adjacent to the basin location. This receptacle is in addition to any receptacle that is part of a lighting fixture or appliance. The receptacle must not be enclosed within a bathroom cabinet or vanity.
- (10) Receptacle outlets are not required in the following locations:
- (i) Wall space occupied by built-in kitchen or wardrobe cabinets,
- (ii) Wall space behind doors which may be opened fully against a wall surface.
- (iii) Room dividers of the lattice type, less than 8 feet long, not solid within 6 inches of the floor,